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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner For Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed September 7, 2001, a response to which was due December 7, 2001. A two-month extension of time and check for \$200 are enclosed, to expire February 7, 2002. Also enclosed are clean and marked-up copies of a substitute specification, revised Fig. 1 and three formal figures. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Box Amendments, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202, on February 7, 2002.

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